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INVENTORS: Alain Le-Brun, et al
TITLE: PRODUITS N-ARYL-
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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 This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/455,120, filed March 17, 2003 and claims priority of French Application No. 0300894 filed January 28, 2003.
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. Assignment Papers (*cover sheet & document(s)*)
8. 37 CFR §3.73(b) Statement
(when there is an assignee)
9. Verified English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
10. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
11. Preliminary Amendment
12. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
13. *Small Entity Statement(s) Statement filed in prior application,
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14. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) 0300894
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1002 340	2002 165	Design filing Fee	
1003 530	2003 260	Plant filing fee	
1004 770	2004 375	Reissue filing fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20**=	x =	=
Independent	- 3**=	x =	=
Claims			
Multiple Dependent		=	

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1201 86	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 86	2204 42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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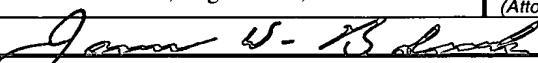
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1053 130	1053 130	Non-English Specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
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1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month	
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1254 1,480	2254 725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255 2,010	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 330	2401 160	Notice of Appeal	
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1403 290	2403 140	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,330	2453 650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501 1,330	2501 650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502 480	2502 235	Design issue fee	
1503 640	2503 315	Plant issue fee	
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1810 770	2810 375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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